

## TWO WILLS

Were Filed In Probate On Friday Morning

One Being That Of The Late Albert King

And The Other Mary Reynolds Of This City

A Number Of Items From Probate Court

Other Notes Of Interest From Temple Of Justice

The last will and testament of Albert King, late of Howard, has been filed in probate. By the terms of the will he gives to his wife, Mary Agnes King, all his property, both real and personal, the former consisting of several lots in the town of Howard. Up on the death of his wife the property is to be divided equally among his brother and sisters as follows: Thomas King, Mary Buckingham, Lillian Sapp and Alla King. The sum of \$1 is given to Clements L. King. The wife is named as the executrix of the will which was signed March 5, 1910, in the presence of J. O. McArthur and G. W. Robinson.

**The Reynolds Will.**  
The last will and testament of Mary Reynolds, late of Mt. Vernon, has been filed in probate. To William Reynolds she gives the sum of \$20. All the property, both real and personal, is to be divided equally among her children as follows: Mary E. Reynolds, Sarah F. Reynolds, Elizabeth J. Reynolds and Margaret Reynolds. The testatrix directs that Mary E. Reynolds manage the property. The will was signed October 14, 1901, in the presence of H. H. and R. M. Greer.

**Guardian Appointed.**  
Catherine L. Smith of Mt. Vernon has been appointed guardian of Joseph Smith et al., minors, giving bond in the sum of \$1,500, with Joseph Smith and Herbert W. Smith as sureties.

**First and Final.**  
A first and final account has been filed in probate by Joseph Smith, administrator of Helen L. Smith. It shows the sum of \$1,600 to have been received and the same amount paid out.

**Deeds Filed.**  
Lena B. Kemp to Melinda R. Bradfield, lot 24, part lot 23 Buckeye City, \$2,300.  
Martha Smith to B. F. Schoff, part lot 14 H. B. Rogers' addition to city, \$3.00.  
Elvina Vivian to Walter Perrin, lot 33 Norton's addition to city, \$700.  
Joseph Crider to Samantha A. Cline, 40 acres in Union, \$1,000.  
Fannie Cuenot to William E. Durbin, lots 2, 9 and 10, in Kaylor's addition to Danville, \$2,200.

## NOTES

Of General Interest From The Gas Field

(Utica Herald.)  
The Foster Dodd well near Martinsville was a dry hole.  
The Logan Company has a rig up for cleaning the Knox Wright well, west of town.  
The Crawford Company is preparing to drill on the J. I. Wright farm in McKean township.  
The Columbus Gas and Fuel Co. got a dry hole on the Charles Slife farm north of Newway.  
The Ohio Fuel Co. last week started the tools on Solinger No. 2 east of Shell Beach, Buckeye Lake.  
Tom Armstrong of Oil Well Supply Co. will remove from Mt. Vernon to Utica if he can secure a house.  
The Utica Gas Co. will drill another well at once. It will be on a part of the Amon Coud lease, now owned by Ben Weaver, south of the Lake Hill schoolhouse.  
The Wm. William Smoots well of the Utica Co. was drilled in Monday, and showed up quite a light. Its volume is about three-fourths million. The rock pressure is very high—exceeding 600 lbs.

## PAINFUL

Injury Sustained By Alva Souders

When Floor Of A Bridge Gave Away

Alva Souders, a glass worker, employed at the Mt. Vernon Window Glass plant, was the victim of a very unfortunate accident Friday morning while going to his work at about 7:15 o'clock. Mr. Souders had been employed at the Camp factory for some time, but on Thursday afternoon secured work at the Mt. Vernon plant and was starting to work for the first day when the accident occurred. He was about midway on the swinging bridge which spans the Kokosing river at the foot of south Jackson street when one of the boards in the floor of the bridge, gave way beneath his feet, letting one of his legs through. In an effort to save himself from falling, Mr. Souders suddenly twisted himself to such an extent that his back was severely sprained. His left hip was badly bruised by the fall upon the boards of the bridge floor. His condition at the time of the accident appeared to be very critical as he was unable to move in any manner and another workman, who happened to be crossing the bridge at about the same time, sent in a call for Chappelcar & Co.'s ambulance which arrived shortly on the scene. Souders was taken to the Mt. Vernon hospital where Dr. James P. Lee was called to render surgical attention. The injury was not as bad as it was first thought to be and the man will probably be able to go to his home after a day or two in the hospital.

## RIMER

Selected As Member Of Civil Service Commission

Mr. Miles J. Fish having declined the appointment to membership on the civil service commission, Mr. William F. Rimer was selected to fill the office at a meeting yesterday afternoon of President of Council Dever, President of Sinking Fund Commission Blocher and President of Board of Education Lorey.

## SILLY

Post Cards Through The Mails To Be Barred

New York, March 11.—A systematic crusade against silly postal cards is being waged by the authorities in several of the larger cities of the United States, according to announcement Wednesday by Postmaster Morgan. Replying to a committee from the Ancient Order of Hibernians, which lodged a protest against the sending of offensive St. Patrick's day post cards, Mr. Morgan said: "People may as well understand that it is only a waste of time and money to try to indulge in the sending of silly postal cards through the United States. Any card or other matter that is vulgar or an insult to any person or race will be destroyed whenever it reaches this office. Our office has destroyed thousands of them already this season. Hundreds of thousands were destroyed by postmasters last year."

### Contest Equal.

The contest between the two literary societies of the Gambler high school, the Dephis and Juntos, Wednesday night, was a "draw," each side being awarded 3½ points by the judges.

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**BIRTHS**  
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A son was born Thursday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Myers, who reside on the Gambler road, just east of the city.

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## FINGER

Painfully Injured By A Small Splinter

Mr. Jay Walker, while working at the Walker saw mill on West Gambler street Thursday afternoon, met with a very painful injury. He was feeding the large saw when a small splinter flew from the steel saw, striking him on the back of the right hand between the ring and the little fingers, inflicting a deep cut. He went to the office of Dr. C. K. Conard where surgical attention was rendered.

### "THE IMMORTAL J. N."

His Wandering Library Is Rapidly Falling Into Decay.

(Pittsburg Dispatch.)  
Hidden away in the most unlikely place in the world, shabby, woefully prosaic, little nook in a country town, is a library so unique and valuable that to wander among its ancient tomes and fiddle their ponderous clasp and worm-eaten pages would plunge the ordinary bible mania into what Robert Louis Stevenson calls "a fine, dizzy, muddled-headed joy."

Since there is no real reason for preserving the secret forever inviolate, let it be told that the village is McCutchenville, in Wyandot county, Ohio, and the owner of the library is Mrs. Ellis Cooley. While this name may not convey any especial significance, Mrs. Cooley is the sister of the late Jacob Newman Free, better known as the Immortal J. N., and the last surviving member of an extraordinary family.

The Immortal J. N. was one of the most eccentric and at the same time pathetic characters who ever lived in Ohio. He first came into public notice at the time of the Civil War by means of his frequent journeys between Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis for the purpose of "removing the pressure," i. e., restoring peace. Through overstudy and brooding over the tragedy of the Rebellion he had become mentally unsound, and through all the rest of his long life he remained resolved upon one thing, "to lift the pressure."

Today his splendid library is piled in confusion in the little McCutchen cottage in mute testimony of his erudition. In the old home one side of the front room from floor to ceiling was lined with volumes and the table in front of the shelves was heaped with them. The collection numbers about one thousand volumes. They are printed in many languages—in Latin, Greek, German, French, Hebrew, Sanskrit and Chinese. Some of them date as far back as the middle of the sixteenth century. These are stanch old tomes, but the worms have bored their neat little tunnels quite through the heavy bindings of wood and leather. Some are pierced in this way from cover to cover and few are gnawed by the rats.

One book dated 1570 and written in Latin contains the works of "Eusebius, Bishop of Caesarea in Palestine." The covers are a quarter of an inch thick and covered with leather and the front is closed with metal clasps. Another similar in date and binding is devoted to the works of Chrysostom. A sixteenth century bible is over two feet long. The front cover and the back are torn off and reveal the method of binding. The works of Justine, the philosopher and martyr, printed in Constantinople in 1686, are a curious mingling of Latin and Greek, and are abundantly interlined with notes in the same languages.

## JUNE 29

Is The Date Of The Judicial Convention

The Democratic convention of the Fifth Judicial district, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for circuit judge, will be held in the city of Coshocton on June 29. The counties in the Fifth Judicial circuit are: Knox, Delaware, Morrow, Richland, Ashland, Wayne, Stark, Holmes, Tuscarawas, Coshocton, Muskingum, Licking, Fairfield, Perry and Morgan.  
M. A. Laugherty of Lancaster will be the convention chairman and J. C. Adams of Coshocton, the secretary.

Our millinery opening, Wednesday, March 16th. Misses Kirk and Jackson.

## Club Notes

### Beethoven Club.

The Beethoven club met Tuesday evening as announced. The very excellent program, in charge of Mrs. Jackson, consisted of eight hand piano work, and a song recital by Mrs. A. D. Stokes, who has lately become a member of the club. Her singing was a pleasing feature of the evening and was the subject of much favorable comment. Those who played on the two pianos were Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Colville, Mrs. Critchfield and Mrs. McIntire. The leader gave a brief analysis of the instrumental numbers, that of the last number being the most interesting because of its being descriptive music of a more pronounced character. The first movement, Adagio, describes a dead calm at sea, then a slight breeze arises, by and by increasing to a gale, a few stormy measures, then dying down until the monotony of the rolling, restless sea, frequently interspersed with tuncful, tranquil melodies is all that is heard until the sight of land is heralded, thus forming an appropriate finale.

### The Program:

Concert Overture, "Ray Blas," (Mendelssohn.)  
Songs. (a)—"Bright Star of Love," (V. Robaudi.) (b)—"Stolen Wings," (Chas. Willeby.) (c)—"Still Unexpressed," (Carrie Jacobs Bond.) Mrs. Stokes.  
Overture, "Egmont," (Beethoven.)  
Songs. (a) "Were My Songs With Wings Provided," (Hahn.) (b) "They Say," (Randegger.) (c) "I Cannot Help Loving Thee," (Mrs. Bond.) (d) "The Last Long Rest," (Mrs. Bond.) Mrs. Stokes.  
"A Calm Sea, and a Prosperous Voyage," (Mendelssohn.)

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**MISSIONARY SOCIETIES**  
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**M. E. SOCIETY**

W. H. M. S. of M. E. church held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Burris, East Vine street, with a goodly number in attendance. Meeting opened with the president, Mrs. Reeder, in the chair. Devotionals by Mrs. Creveling. Prayer by Mrs. Reeder. Mrs. Parr and Mrs. Cromley. Song. Minutes read and approved. Miss Devalon gave a report of the club for Children's Friend. An exchange to be held March 18 or 19th. All ladies asked to be prepared when ladies come to solicit. Mrs. White was made chairman. The district convention will be at Gambler in May.

The program of the afternoon was as follows:  
Subject, "Freedmen."  
Mrs. Converse gave the review of the chapter and told in her own masterly way the facts and descriptions of the Freedmen.  
Quartet—Misses Burris, Herring, Stephens and Ewing.  
Reading—Mrs. Winans.  
Reading—Mrs. Weir.  
Music—Quartet.  
Exercise—Misses Kirk, Devalon, Mesdames Herron, Parker, Burris, Ewing, Hookaway and Lybarger.  
Paper—"Work at Rush Home" by Mrs. Reeder.  
During the social hour delicious refreshments were served by the committee.  
Every one urged to keep in mind the exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracey Burke of Zanesville, formerly of Mt. Vernon, are visiting in the city for a few days.

Mrs. Elizabeth Moore was taken from her home on South Sandusky street to the Mt. Vernon hospital in McCormick's ambulance Saturday morning.

Mrs. J. F. Kelly and children of Mt. Vernon, returned home last Saturday after a visit of two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Walter Hiltbrand—Loudonville Democrat.

Miss Willow Matern, formerly of this city, has accepted a position as head trimmer with the Koff Brothers' millinery establishment at Canal Dover, Ohio.

Mr. Harry Starner of North West street will leave Monday morning for Detroit, where he will accept a position. Mr. Starner has for the past several months, been employed as electrician in the Goodrich Rubber works at Akron, Ohio.

Mrs. A. R. Sipe of North Main street went to Jersey, Ohio, Saturday morning to spend several days with her sister, Mrs. C. P. Thompson.

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**OBITUARY**  
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**Henry Arthur**  
Mrs. A. B. Jones of North Mulberry street received a telephone message from Columbus Thursday afternoon announcing the death of her nephew, Henry Arthur, the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Arthur, who reside in southern Columbus. He died at the home of his parents Thursday noon after a short illness of pneumonia. The funeral at the house Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. Interment in Columbus.

**Myrtle Bell Ash**  
Myrtle Bell Ash died at her home in Monroe township Thursday evening at about seven o'clock, after a lingering illness caused by rheumatism. She was thirty-five years of age and is survived by her husband, five sisters and one brother.

The funeral Sunday afternoon at one o'clock at the Gay street M. E. church, Rev. G. A. Reeder officiating. Interment in Mount View cemetery.

**Joseph A. Roberts**  
Joseph A. Roberts, a well-known tailor, died at his home on East Vine street, Thursday evening at about seven-thirty o'clock after a short illness caused by heart trouble. He was sixty-four years of age at the time of his death and is survived by his wife and one son, Russell Roberts.

The funeral at the house Friday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. A. B. Williams officiating. Interment in Mount View cemetery.

**Elizabeth Morford**  
Mrs. Elizabeth Morford, the mother of Mrs. Thomas Morford of this city died at her home in Coshocton Friday morning at four o'clock after a three weeks' illness of stomach trouble. She was eighty-eight years of age and is survived by two daughters, three sons, two sisters and three brothers. The funeral Sunday afternoon at one o'clock at the Cullison Ridge church near New Castle, Ohio. Interment at Cullison Ridge cemetery.

**Mrs. Elizabeth Weaver**  
Mrs. Elizabeth Weaver, widow of the late Jonathan Weaver, died at her residence, No. 406 East Vine street, at 11:40 o'clock Thursday night of a complication of diseases incident to advanced age. The deceased was born in this city April 9, 1827, and was a daughter of Samuel Undergraff. She was married Jan. 14, 1846, in this city to Mr. Weaver. She is survived by four children: Mr. Charles F. Weaver, Mrs. Anna M. Harper and Miss Nellie of this city, and Mr. Frank Weaver of Columbus. She united with St. Paul's Episcopal church in 1849. The funeral service will be held at the home Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. E. Hull.

The Misses Josephine and Carrie Vincent, who have for the past several days been ill at their home near Bloomfield, have suffered a relapse and their condition is now critical.

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**Lorey's Drug Store**  
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Miss Georgia Hall, a clerk at the Novelty store on South Main street, was very painfully injured Saturday morning at about nine o'clock. Miss Hall attempted to strike a match on a piece of wood with the intention of igniting a gas jet, when a piece of the brimstone from the head of the match flew into her right eye. Dr. F. L. Singrey was summoned in attendance.

Mr. F. L. Fa'rchild arrived home this afternoon after a business trip through the East.